Utah Industrial Assistance Fund

Corporate Incentive Application

Please respond to each question using the same numbering system to correspond with your information (i.e. 1 through 18). Submit the completed Corporate Incentive Application in a word processing program via e-mail a minimum of 3 weeks prior to the board meeting which normally meets on the 3rd Friday of the month.

- 1. List your company name, mailing and street address, telephone number, fax number, federal tax ID number, and contact person's name.
- 2. Describe the history of the company, its products, services and markets
- 3. Outline management strengths and experience; and describe the history of your company, its products, services, and markets.
- 4. Submit a business plan/detailed summary of the expansion or relocation including the following:
 - A. Explain the type of operation and reason for expansion;
 - B. List the number of new jobs created, average salary (excluding benefits), and benefits as a percentage of the salary. Please specify the projected employment positions at a salary level that meets or exceeds 125% of the county median. The incentive award is based on these salary level positions. (review contract)
 - C. List the number of projected new jobs which will meet or exceed the appropriate county median. Provide a schedule of jobs by position types with accompanying salary information. <u>View the current information on the County Median Wages page.</u>
 - D. Summarize the costs of this project and the timeline.
- 5. List the amount of incentive requested, use of proceeds, basis of request (e.g. \$200,000 for 200 new employees), and time line of decision.
- 6. Provide data showing showing increased purchases (over base year) with Utah suppliers that exceed the "2 times loan/grant amount per year" for five years (required by the Utah Code).
- 7. Explain why your company wants to relocate to Utah, or if relocating from the Wasatch Front to rural Utah your purpose in expanding off the Wasatch Front.

- 8. Have you applied for or received any other government funding?
- 9. Specifically describe how the IAF incentive would result in an extraordinary relocation or expansion which is outside the normal course of your business. Answer the following questions:
 - A. How would this assistance be a "valid incentive" in your decision making?
 - B. How important is this incentive in the decision?
- 10. List the positive effects your business operation would have on the community.
- 11. List the negative effects your business operation would have on the community (including environmental issues which would be addressed).
- 12. List all outstanding material issues facing your company that could have a negative impact.
- 13. List other city/county, federal, and private incentives offered (if any). List incentives offered by competitive out-of-state alternatives.
- 14. Include company brochures, articles, recognitions.
- 15. Include all financial statements, profits & loss statements, and current balance sheet (past three years and year-to-date).
- 16. Provide trade and credit references.
- 17. Submit a completed Fiscal Impact Questionnaire.
- 18. Other information you deem necessary to assist

Submit 10 copies of any non-electronic supporting materials to:

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(See <u>Application Deadlines</u> for specific dates).